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FM AMEMBASSY PORT OF SPAIN

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6376

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ETRN, TD

SUBJECT: CIVAIR: GOTT REQUESTS USG SUPPORT FOR ICAO COUNCIL  
CANDIDACY

1. EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED NOTE DATED APRIL 30 INFORMING US  
GOTT WILL SEEK RE-ELECTION TO ICAO COUNCIL AT 21ST GENERAL  
ASSEMBLY SCHEDULED TO BE HELD SEPTEMBER 24-OCTOBER 16, 1974.  
NOTE EXPLAINS THAT TRINIDAD WAS ELECTED IN MARCH 1973 TO FILL  
ONE OF THREE ADDITIONAL SEATS ADDED TO COUNCIL IN 1971, AND  
THUS THE TRINIDAD REPRESENTATIVE WILL HAVE SERVED ON THE  
COUNCIL FOR LITTLE OVER ONE YEAR INSTEAD OF NORMAL THREE-  
YEAR TERM. NOTE CONCLUDES, "IN VIEW OF THIS AND THE GROW-  
ING IMPORTANCE OF CIVIL AVIATION TO TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO  
AS THE OWNER OF A NATIONAL AIRLINE WHICH SERVES THE CARIBBEAN,  
THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO SHOULD  
BE MOST GRATEFUL IF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF  
AMERICA WOULD GIVE ITS INVALUABLE SUPPORT TO TRINIDAD AND  
TOBAGO'S CANDIDATURE AT THE FORTHCOMING ELECTIONS".

2. COMMENT: IN VIEW OF RECENT GOTT INITIATIVES IN FIELD  
OF AVIATION, IT WOULD BE MOST USEFUL IF WE COULD INDICATE  
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USG SUPPORT FOR TRINIDAD CANDIDACY, IF THIS CAN BE

DETERMINED AT THIS TIME. OTHERWISE, EMBASSY WILL RESPOND  
TO MINEXTAFF WITH ROUTINE ACKNOWLEDGEMENT. ACTION: REQUESTED:  
PLEASE ADVISE HOW EMBASSY SHOULD RESPOND TO NOTE.  
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